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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

NATIONAL TPS ALLIANCE, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

KRISTI NOEM, in her official capacity as
Secretary of Homeland Security, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:25-cv-5687

**DEFENDANTS' WAIVER OF REPLY AND
NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAL**

Hon. Trina L. Thompson

On January 5, 2026, Defendants filed a motion to stay this Court's December 31, 2025, decision. ECF Dkt. 197, 198. On that same day, Defendants filed a motion to shorten time for Plaintiffs to respond to their motion for stay. ECF Dkt. 199. The Court denied Defendants' motion to shorten time on January 6, 2026, and set January 12, 2026, as the deadline for Plaintiffs response, and January 20, 2026, for Defendants' reply. ECF Dkt. 200. Defendants respectfully notify the Court that they will not file a reply. Moreover, absent a ruling by this honorable Court by 5:00 pm PST on January 14, 2026, Defendants will seek a stay from the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

Dated: January 13, 2026

Respectfully submitted,

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